ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Information for Petitioners Seeking a No-Migration Variance Under the RCRA Land
Disposal Restrictions for Temporary Placement of Treated Hazardous Waste within a
Permitted Subtitle C Landfill

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Guidance policy.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is finalizing guidance on petitions for a No Migration Variance (NMV) under the Land Disposal Restrictions (LDRs) pursuant to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) for persons applying for a NMV for a waste pile temporarily located within a RCRA-permitted Subtitle C landfill cell. EPA solicited public comments on a draft of this guidance on January 19, 2021 (86 FR 5190). The public comment period ended February 18, 2021. EPA received nine (9) comments on the draft guidance. EPA appreciates the comments. The Agency carefully considered all of the points raised and has concluded that the comments do not provide reason for EPA to modify the guidance as it was proposed. Accordingly, EPA is finalizing the guidance without alteration. The guidance and the Agency's response to these comments are located in the Docket (EPA-HQ-OLEM-2020-0689).

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this action apply to me?

This notice is directed to the public in general. However, it will be of particular interest to RCRA

Subtitle C permitted landfills.

B. How Can I Get Copies of This Document and Other Related Information?

1. Docket. EPA has established a docket for this action under Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OLEM-

2020-0689. Publicly available docket materials are available either electronically through

www.regulations.gov or in hard copy at the EPA Docket Center, WJC West Building, Room

3334, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, DC. The Docket Center's hours of operations

are 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday (except Federal Holidays). For further information

on the EPA Docket Center services and the current status, see: https://www.epa.gov/dockets.

2. Electronic Access. You may access this Federal Register document electronically from

https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/current. You may access the full guidance document

at https://rcrapublic.epa.gov/rcraonline/details.xhtml?rcra=14952

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